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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: **George P. Lomonossoff *et al.***
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Entitled: **Modified Plant Viruses as Vectors**

Group No.: **1636**
Examiner: **Akhavan, R.**

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION
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Sir or Madam:

Please enter the following on the record in response to the above cited Final Office Action dated November 15, 2005. A petition for a one month extension of time is submitted herewith. A Request For Continued Examination is also submitted herewith.

A status of all claims with instructions for entry pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.121 is included beginning on page two of this communication.